Convict Docherty Had Moulds

Prisoner Houghton Thought to Be

Leave the Island.

George Docherty, whose term of two years and five months imprisonment is the penitentiary, for grand larceny, will expire two weeks from to-day, will be West Twenty-fourth street, was held up rearrested inimediately upon his re-by three men at Twenty-fifth street and lease from Blackwell's Island by the Fifth avenue at 2 o'clock this morning. lease from Blackwell's Island by the United States authorities, charged with counterfeiting, while a prisoner on the island.

The man who snatched the watch was island.

Docherty is implicated with John
Houghton, who was also a prisoner on the island. Houghton's term of five months for assault expired last SaturWilliam Mack, 'wenty years old, of 446

The man who snatched the watch was caught by Patrolman Carlin, of the that Gruber achieved notoriety by printing and distributing widely in the State running away. He gave his name as a transcript of certain parts of the teamonths for assault expired last SaturWilliam Mack, 'wenty years old, of 446 day, and he was rearrested immediately. West Twenty-seventh street. The other tie Adams, as an attack on Dr. Park-From what can be learned Docherty two men were arrested an hour later on hurst, who was a witness against the

engineered the job, and Houghton, who is at present in the Ludiow Street Jail, is merely detained as a witness.

Several days ago Warden Filisbury received information from persons whose names he does not wish to divuige, that recrtain prisoners were making spurious edin. He at once began an investigation. Suspicion fell upon Houghton, and a close watch was kept upon him. Houghton was detailed as a fireman in the kitchen.

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According to Warden Pillsbury's side of the story, Houghton was charged with the affair a few days ago, but he stout-ly denied his guilt, nor would he talk

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day Sunday there is no work done in the laundry, and Decherty, who has to keep the bollers going, is these by himself. It was then that he is supposed to have made the moulds and the coin.

In reference to the affair, Warden Pilisbury said to-day:

"There is no chance that any of the coin has been circulated. It is so had a counterfeit that a child could tell it."

Docherty, according to his own story, is a Scotchman, and has no friends in this country. He is a steamship fireman. About three years ago he came to this country, and six weeks after his arrival he was arrested upon a charge of grand larceny and sent up for two years and five months.

Further than this he refuses to tell anything about himself. The authorities, however, will endeavor to get his record from the other side.

HELD UP ON FIFTH AVENUE.

Highwaymen Secured McGinn's \$10

Watch and Were Captured. John McGinn, a bottle dealer, of 117

Detective Lang, of the West Sixty-eighth street station, recovered a blevele vesterday which had

Later, however, he was overheard taiking to another prisoner about the czee by one of the keepers, and his story implicated Decherty.

When confronted with this Houghton broke down, and admitted that he knew that counterfeiting was going on at the island. He said that Docherty was doing the business.

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Lup to a few weeks 250 Dochesty had been employed as foreman in the prison laundry.

Last Friday Officer Keefe, who had been detailed to watch the suspect, who has been employed as foreman in the fireman's rosm and told Dochesty he was wanted in the Superintendent's office.

There he was confronted with the charge, but indignantly denied it. He was searched, and in his pocket was found two plaster of parls moulds to be used for making five-cent pieces. An unable of counterfeit coins of that pockets, and in his pocket was found two plaster of parls moulds to be used for making five-cent pieces. An unable of counterfeit coins of that pockets, and in his pocket was searched, and in his pocket was searched, and in his pocket was found two plaster of parls moulds to be used for making five-cent pieces. An unable of counterfeit coins of that pockets, and in his pocket was searched, and in his pocket was found two plaster of parls moulds to be used for making five-cent pieces. An unable of counterfeit coins of that pockets, the tin shop.

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ABE GRUBER'S FACE.

Dr. Parkhurst's Assailant Sends New Photograph for Use. Abe Gruber, one of Easy Boss Thomas C. Platt's lieutenants, didn't like the C. Platt's lieutenants, didn't like the was struck by an engine and dragged picture recently published of him in 150 feet, on the Lehigh Vailey road.



Senator O'Connor to Discuss Reform Bills with His Followers.

In political circles to-day it was undergestion of Gov. Morton, Senator O'Con-nor will call a caucus of the Republican members of the Senate within a few days to consider the terminal senate within a few days to consider the Raines Ballot Reform bill, the Kern Excise bill, the Lexow police bills, the Committee of Pavey Charities and Correction bill, the Pavey Commissioners of Accounts Appropriation bill and the Greater New York bill.

The plan agreed upon by Platt and his friends at the usual Sunday conference in the Fifth Avenue Hotel is to make it MRS. SPIRO CHARGES FRAUD. appear that the Republican machine is doing all it can to pass reform measures. The party lash will be used to force the passage of such measures as Platt

A false alarm of fire was turned in from

JOHN SMITH NOT MURDERED. PERRY BELMONT'S LAMPIONS

The body of John Smith, of Newark,

near Perth Amboy, yesterday merning. Edward J. Bourke, a brakeman out of Edward J. Bourke, a brakeman out of a job, and Daniel Cobb, who were last seen with Smith, were arrested.

Bourke, whose face was badly bruised, identified Smith's body. He said he and his companions had been drinking. He denied that they fought, or that he knew how Smith's body came to be placed on the track.

County Physician Carroll this morning nurborized Coroner Brace to order the discharge of Cobb and Bourke. It was decided that Smith's death was caused by being struck by the locomotive, Smith had a brother, who is a plumber in Newserk, but he cannot be found. The body will be buried in Potter's field. Sustained.

Judge Giegerich, in the Court of Com-

KILLED HIS SISTER-IN-LAW.

ther of a Double Tragedy.

Killed on the Railroad and Arrested

Men Discharged.

Charles Janda, a young Bohemian tailor, shot his sister-in-law, Camille Jantailor, shot his sister-in-law, Camille Janda, through the heart, killing her instantily, and then sent a builet in his head, at 239 East Fourth street, yesteroay, Janda died in Bellevue Hospital last night landa, who was twenty years old came to this city from Prague a year ago. He lived with his brother William until last Tuenday, when he was turne from the house on account of his habits.

Janda returned yesterday for his ciothes, and while Mrs Janda was preparing them for him he killed her.

May Not Be a Murderer After All.

Thomas Watte, who was accessed upon supply tion of having thrown his wife, Elizabeth, from one of the windows of their home, 541 West

WASHINGTON, April 15.- The United States

The Jersey Politicians Trouble. (Special to the Evening World.)
NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., April 15.—James

Motien, a special officer, pleaded not guilty in court here this morning to an indictment for atroclous assault and battery upon Robert Ross. He was held it. Soo half for trial. Mulien accompanied George Berdine home on the night Rerdine was attacked by one son of Miles Ross, the politician. Mullen drew his revolver.

Wants \$50,000 Damages Because n

Mortgage Was Foreclosed.

Mrs. Pauline Spiro has an action on favors, however, and the others will be killed by the votes of Senators who refuse to be bound, or pretend that they are refusing to be bound, by caucus rule. This, it is understood, will be the fate of the Police Magistrates bill.

The annual election of the Tammany Society takes place to-day, but since Croker's slate has become generally known there is little interest in the event. It is expected that there will be no opposition to the names presented by the Nominating Committee. These have all been "O. K.-ed" by a cablegram from Europe.

False Alarm Downtown.

A false alarm of are was turned in from Mrs Solro now alleges that the agreements of the will be known alleges that the agreements of the will be mortgage and been foreclosed and the property bought in by the trustees of \$50,000.

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Olifiero Claims Fayment for 200,-000 "Lamps" Rejected.

Several Big Men Demur and Are

mon Pleas today, sustained the cemurrer of Perry Belmont and others to the complaint of Bartholom Olithers to recover \$13,000 from the Art Commit-

members of the Committee to recover \$1 TO \$10 MONTHLY USTIL PAID, the cost of 160.00 "lampions," or small (UR FOR CASIL INCLUDING STOOL torches, which were to be used in the Charles Jands, a Young Tallor, Auplaced an order with him for 400,000 of the lampious; that subsequently he was informed that a mistake had been made.

informed that a mistake had been made, and that the order should have called for 40,000.

Othero claimed that he was not responsible for the mistake in the number ordered, and that he had made contracts for the entire 400,00 forches origically or level. He succeeded in came dung one contract for 200,000, but was obtiged to pay for the other 200,000 but was obtiged to pay for the other 200,000 but was obtiged to pay for the other 200,000 but was obtiged to pay for the other 200,000 but was obtiged to pay for the other 200,000 but was obtiged to pay for the other 200,000 but was obtiged to pay for the other 200,000 but was obtiged to pay for the other 200,000 but was obtiged to pay for the context of the torches, and as brought said to recover the cost of the balance.

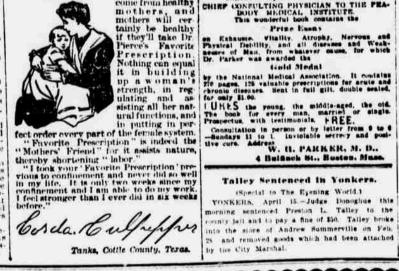
Mr. Helmont and the half dozen other nembers of the Committee who were add defendants to the suit claimed that the entire committee of twenty-five members should have been joined in the action, and they should not be proceeded against in their individual capacity.

Judge Giegorich holds that Mrs. Belmont's point is well taken, and that it would be a difficult matter to secure the gratuitous services of competent men in public affairs it they were to be held individually liable.

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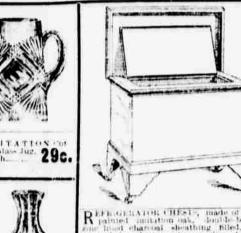
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